

Republican County Convention.

The Republican party of Gallia county will hold its annual County Convention, for this year, in the city of Gallipolis, on

Saturday, June 26th, commencing at eleven o'clock A. M., as per the decision of the Central Committee.

The following will be the duties of the Convention: 1. To nominate one Clerk, one Auditor, one County Commissioner, one Inferior Judge and one Coroner. 2. To appoint a Republican Central Committee for said county for the ensuing year. 3. To select delegates to the Congressional Convention, besides transacting any further business properly coming before it.

The basis for apportioning delegates to said Convention, to the several townships, precincts and wards in said county, as fixed by said Committee, is one delegate for every 30 votes cast for Charles Foster for Governor in 1878, and an additional delegate for every fraction of 15 votes and over thereon, as cast at said election.

The several townships, precincts and wards, in said county, are entitled to representation in said Convention as follows:

Township.	Delegates.
Ohio	101
Harrison	155
Clay	174
Addison	133
Cheshire	184
Cheshire Precinct	143
Green	174
Springfield	321
Morgan	152
Walnut	185
Ferry	189
Bacon	298
Huntington	221
Greenfield	114
Guyana	103
Gallipolis	103
City, 1st Ward	9
" 2d "	148
" 3d "	196
" 4th "	130
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The Committee fixed the date of the several primary meetings to be

Saturday, June 19th,

and requests the Republicans of the Republics and precincts to meet at their usual places of holding elections there-in at 4 o'clock P. M. of said day and elect the delegates said township or precinct is entitled to in said Convention, by ballot, keeping the polls open until 6 o'clock P. M. of said day. And the primary meetings in the several wards of the city of Gallipolis shall be held on the same day, in the same manner, but the polls will not open until 7 P. M. and be closed at 8 P. M.

It is urged by the Committee that the Republicans of the county, turn out to these primary meetings, and see that delegates are selected who will represent the wishes of their respective townships, precincts and wards.

By order of the Committee
WM. NASH, Chairman.
W. H. C. ECKER, Secretary.

Congress is talking of adjourning May 31st.

The business portion of West Liberty, Ohio, was almost entirely destroyed by fire Thursday, involving an estimated loss of \$150,000.

Sanford E. Church, Chief-Justice of the New York Court of Appeals, died Friday.

Six hundred houses destroyed, and fifteen hundred people rendered homeless, by fire at Milton, Pa., Friday.

The Committee on Episcopacy in the M. E. General Conference have recommended the election of a colored man to the bishopric.

President Hayes is reported as saying that he would not have the second term, even offered to him on a "silver platter."

There is trouble in Illinois between the Blaine and Grant forces. Two delegations from Cook county will appear at the State Convention, and two delegations from the State to the National Convention are threatened. There is too much personality in the contest in Illinois.

We shall not vote to nominate Gen. Grant, but if he is nominated, we shall vote for his election, and otherwise do what we can to the same end. Gen. Grant, for a third term is far preferable to a disciple of Jeff. Davis for one term.

The West Virginia delegates to the Chicago Convention are instructed to vote for Blaine. The Convention was held at Wheeling last Wednesday.

Speculations in regard to the action of the Chicago Convention are plenty, nevertheless there is a general feeling of uncertainty as regards the result which is tantalizing in the extreme.

The General Conference of the M. E. Church now in session at Cincinnati, on Wednesday elected the following new Bishops, viz:—Dr. Henry W. Warren, pastor of Spring Garden Street M. E. Church, Philadelphia; Cyrus D. Foss, President of Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn.; John F. Hurst, President of Drew Theological Seminary, Madison, N. J.; and E. O. Haven, Chancellor of Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y.

The Chicago Convention will need to carefully and dispassionately deliberate upon the question of nomination. The Republicans have the best showing for success in the Presidential campaign, but that prestige may all be lost by unwise action at Chicago. It would be unwise, if not fatal, to set aside the unwritten law of the Nation in regard to re-elections.

The Pennsylvania and New York delegations to the Chicago Convention were instructed to vote solid for Gen. Grant. The managers of the unit rule supposed they had the thing securely fixed. But a bolt, and a strong one at that, has developed itself in both States, and the probabilities now are that the vote of these States will be divided between Grant, Blaine and Sherman. It is a bad break in the Grant boom.

For the Journal.

See to Your Bees at Once.

Hives should be examined immediately; worms and propolis removed; weaker colonies strengthened by frames of brood from other colonies; see that all have queens, if not, give them frames of eggs and brood to rear one. Prepare your hives at once, as this is going to be the swarming season. Bees getting plenty of honey and queen are doing active service. My 71 colonies are in finer condition than ever before at the present time. Prospect grand for a noble honey crop; white clover blooming 15 days earlier than last year. Do not allow your bees to swarm twice, but put on your boxes with small bits of comb in, and have them at work.

C. S. NEWSOM.

For the Journal.

Morgan Items.

April was almost as full in her mood as March. After coquetting with winter and summer, she layed herself out with an icy smile. May so far has been very favorable for the farmers, and they are making the most of it. Corn planting is well advanced, and so with other work. Wheat looks simply splendid, and the prospect fair for good crops in general.

Publication is diverted for the moment from politics to the General Conference of the M. E. Church, now in session in Cincinnati. The General Conference of the M. E. Church is its supreme governing body. The first regular General Conference was held in Baltimore, in November, 1782. The early conferences embraced at first all the preachers in full connection, and it was not until the year 1808 that a plan was adopted for a delegated General Conference. At the Conference of 1873 lay delegates were admitted for the first time. The General Conference has full power over every part of the organization, and elects the Bishops, who are responsible to it for their moral and official conduct. The present General Conference is composed of 397 delegates, of whom 242 are preachers and 155 laymen. In 1878 Gallipolis first appears in the minutes of the M. E. Church as a circuit, with Jacob Delay and E. T. Webster as pastors. In 1879, 419 members were reported.

NORVAL.

The General Conference, Thursday, elected Rev. J. W. Reed, D. D., of Michigan, and Rev. C. H. Fowler, D. D., of Chicago, Corresponding Secretaries of the Missionary Society of the M. E. Church.

Garfield and his Wife.

Gen. Garfield was his wife's instructor and taught her Latin so thoroughly that she has been able to prepare her boys for college. He honors himself by this speaking of her: "She is one of the coolest and best balanced women I ever saw. She is unstamped ability. There has not been one solitary instance of a public career where I have suffered in the smallest degree for any remark she ever made."—Baltimore Sun.

Probate Court.

Judge Cowden furnishes us with the following statement of business in the Probate Court during the past week:—

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Thos. E. Clonch and Missouri C. Shits, Jas. M. Gibson and Martha A. Ralph, Wm. A. Dennis and Ella Hamilton, John Clark and Hester A. Turner, Beal Thompson and Jane Mayho, P. P. Jones and Eliza Spencer.

ELIZABETH GLENN and Mary E. People.

MOTHER MATTERS.

Hudson Maddy was appointed guardian of Eliza A. Maddy, minor; bond \$500.

Abraham Darat was appointed guardian of Barbara Mink, an imbecile; bond \$300.

The last will and testament of Friend McDaniel, was admitted to Probate, and John F. McDaniel appointed executor thereof; bond \$200.

Transfers of Real Estate.

WALNUT—Rees Fox to William Fox, quit claim interest in 160 acres, \$1100. William Fox to Lewis Fox, quit claim interest in 100 acres, \$1200.

GUYANA—A. J. Canby to Wayne Sanders, quit claim interest in the farm of John Sanders, deceased, \$37.50. George Sanders to John Sanders, quit claim interest in the farm of John Sanders, deceased, \$37.50.

MORGAN—Wm. Clark to Hester Ann Ellison 12 acres and 16 rods, \$240. Stranorville—J. K. Powell to George Siders, 41 acres, \$487 40-100. GREEN—Arthur A. Blazer to Charles E. Liddy, 73 acres, \$1800.

GALE—C. W. Wood, by S. P. Wood, his executor, to J. Charles Kerr, 160 30-100 acres, \$4350.

GALLIPOLIS CITY—H. H. Neal, by S. A. Neal, his Assignee, to Julia Nevius, part of lots Nos. 117 and 118, \$2015.

MARRIED.

DENNIS—HAMILTON—On the 12th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. T. H. Monroe, Wm. A. Dennis, Esq., Attorney at Law, to Ella, daughter of Capt. Samuel Hamilton, all of this city.

COUGHENOUR—KENT—At the residence of Mr. Lewis Kent, in Morgan township, April 7th, by James C. Baxter, J. P., Mr. ALBERT A. COUGHENOUR and Miss SUSAN S. KENT.

SHULER—WOODS—At the residence of the bride, in Huntington township, April 12th, by James C. Baxter, J. P., Mr. JACOB SHULER and Ruth Woods.

GIBSON—RALPH—On the 11th day of May, 1880, by Alexander Logue, Esq., at his residence in Gallipolis, Mr. JAMES M. GIBSON and Miss MARTHA A. RALPH, both of this county.

CLARK—TURNER—On the 13th day of May, 1880, by Alexander Logue, Esq., at his office near the court house, Mr. JOHN CLARK and Miss HESTER A. TURNER, both of Mason County, W. Va.

DIED.

CHICK—John Chick was born January 27th, 1799, in South Charel, Somerset, England, emigrated to the United States in 1850, and settled in Gallia county, Ohio, near the village of Patriot, which place he made his home the principal part of the time for about fifty years. During this time, by industry and economy, he amassed a considerable amount of wealth, and also numerous and warm friends, many of whom followed him to his last resting place with hearts stricken with sorrow and a firm believer in revealed religion, and for years a friend and supporter of the cause of the redeemer, up to the last day of his life, which came to him on the 17th of April, 1880, and found him firmly trusting in Jesus as his only Savior and nearest friend. His many friends are therefore not called upon to mourn as those which have no hope, for if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, then also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him.

J. D. HATHAWAY.

BYRAN—In Salem, Ill., March 30, 1880, Hon. SILEAS L. BYRAN, in the 35th year of his age. The deceased, in early life, resided across the river in W. Va., on the farm now owned by Mr. W. C. Miller. He has a sister living in this city, Mrs. Jane Cheney. The Salem, Ill., Herald says: "Judge Byran was one of the greatest and most worthy citizens, not only of Marion county, but of Southern Illinois."

Very best Perfumery—any quantity you want—bring your jug to C. M. FILLMORE & Co's., Mar 4—3m

BUSINESS NOTICES

A few barrels choice Burbank's Seedling Potatoes for sale at Bowie, Pitrat & Co's.

Auction at the Gallipolis Hardware Co. next Saturday, at 10 o'clock a. m., and 2 and 7 p. m. A fine lot of saddles will be among the goods auctioned.

15 lbs. Prunes for \$1.00 at Bowie, Pitrat & Co's.

C. S. NEWSOM.

Sweet Potato Plants.

Yellow Nansamond, Yellow Jerseys, Southern Queen and Bermuda Sweet Potato Plants. For sale by the hundred or thousand, after the 15th of May.

Price 16¢ cts. per hundred, \$1.50 per thousand.

L. R. WOOD,

Harrisburg, Gallia Co., O.

May 13, 1880—4w

Pay Up.

DR. D. T. JENKINS, of Centerville, desires to notify those indebted to him by note or book account that the same must be settled on or before the 15th day of June next, or they will be placed in the hands of the proper officers for collection.

May 13, 1880—3w

Go to Hutchinson & Baldrige and get the Genuine Malta Double Shovel Plows.

May Festival.

The Cornet Brass Band will hold a May Festival at the A. M. E. Church, on the 27th and 28th of May. The proceeds will go toward purchasing a uniform for the band. A beautiful prize is also to be drawn at the door. Price of the admission only 10 cents. All are invited to attend.

H. T. QUALLS,

G. W. BATTLES,

May 13—2w

Hutchinson & Baldrige have the Genuine Malta Double Shovel Plows at lowest Price.

The handsome thing for your new house, is one of the nice Chamber Sets on view at Bowie, Pitrat & Co.

The best Hanging Lamp in the market, at Bowie, Pitrat & Co.

Wheeling Nails.

Kept constantly for sale by J. M. KERR & CO.

only in the City of Gallipolis, Ohio. They are always the best.

J. M. KERR & CO.

May 6, 1880—4w

Peaches prepared by the Alden process are a luxury. They are to be had at the enterprising house of Bowie, Pitrat & Co.

California Lima Beans at Bowie Pitrat & Co.

Just Received.

2,000 pounds of Prunes which I will sell 12 pounds for \$1 00.

J. D. BAILEY, Second st.

April 29—4w

The combined hand Corn Planter and Fertilizer-Distributor. This Planter is so constructed that the corn and fertilizer will be deposited at the same time, and at the same depth, or at different depths, as required. Manufactured at Rio Grande and sold by Swanson & Ridgway.

You save profanity, hinges, patience, time, money, deprecations and labor, by using the EXCELSIOR FARM GATE.

THE "OLD HOUSE"

J. T. WARREN & CO.

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Foreign and Domestic dried and canned Fruits and Vegetables. Canned, dried and salt Fish. Pickles, Sauces, Oils and Condiments. Soup stuffs, Baking Powders, ground and whole Spices. Toilet and Laundry Soaps.

Sole Agents, Preserves, Fancy Groceries and Grocers' Sundries. Stock unparalleled in the West.

SEND FOR OUR "GROCERS' MANUAL."

"Ladies, get permanent relief by using 'BLACK-DRAUGHT'."

For sale by KERR BROS.

Spring and Summer Metropolitan Fashion CATALOGUES

For sale at

MISS HATTIE A. ANDREWS.

Single copies 15 cts, by mail 25 cts.

Subscriptions received for the Delineator.

Feb. 26, 1880.

Every person purchasing \$1 00 worth of Tea from me will receive a present of a beautiful Conch Shell.

J. D. BAILEY, 2nd st.

April 29—4w

A man died of liver complaint! One dollar's worth of "BLACK-DRAUGHT" would have saved his life.

For sale by KERR BROS.

E. Buttrick & Co's

Spring and Summer Patterns

AND Fashion Sheets,

AT MISS HATTIE A. ANDREWS.

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EUREKA MILLS,

Established 1860. Remodeled 1880.

First Class, New Process, with all the Modern Improvements.

We are pleased to announce to our patrons and the public generally, that our New Mill is now in successful operation and that we are making

Patent and Fancy Flours,

second to none produced anywhere. Highest prices paid for "Lancaster" and "Mediterranean," or "Long Berry" Wheat.

May 13, 1880—3m

IMPORTANT NOTICE

To all those wanting the Best

REAPER OR MOWER

There is in any Market,

Should send in their orders at once for the "CHAMPION," the only all-wrought Iron Frame and really first-class machine to be found. Below we give the names and address of a few of the men who have been using the Champion, for reference. It is generally acknowledged that nearly all the reaping and mowing, and Practical Farmers, who are up to "snuff" buy the Champion Machine under all circumstances, even at a higher price than other machines.

Chas. D. Bailey, Gallipolis, Ohio. Gustave Volbourn, Rodney, Ohio. Wm. Cherington, " D. Huttsiniller, " John E. Mills, " J. M. Hannan, Swan Creek " James M. Mills, " Allen Campbell, " C. W. & S. J. Kerr, " Gideon Brown, Apple Grove, W. Va. Geo. W. Eagle, Vinton, " Isaac Long, Pt. Pleasant, " M. D. J. Hickerson, " Wm. Long, Beech Hill, " A. Volbourn, Rodney, " J. W. Smith, Pt. Pleasant, " Jacob Riggs, Eureka, Ohio.

And might name one thousand more if necessary.

Come and examine.

J. M. KERR & CO.

May 6, 1880—2m

THE OHIO VALLEY

MUTUAL PROTECTION ASSOCIATION,

OF GREENVILLE, OHIO.

HOME OFFICE, 119, BROADWAY, GREENVILLE, OHIO.

This Association offers the following special features:

1st—Endowment Insurance without extra cost.
2d—Uniform Membership fee of \$10 for all ages and amounts.
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4th—Insurance at actual cost.

BENEFITS.

Persons between the ages of 16 and 64 years, who have a first-class health record, may receive a certificate of membership as follows:

16 to 33—\$4,000. Payable at death or expiration of 21 years.
34 to 45—\$3,000. " " " 18 "
46 to 55—\$2,500. " " " 15 "
56 to 64—\$2,000. " " " 12 "

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OFFICERS.

J. K. RIFFLE, Vice-President.

M. F. MYERS, Secretary.

JAS. T. MEEKER, Treasurer.

We want a good responsible agent in every Township.

For particulars, address G. F. CLUTCH, District Agent, Delaware, or Franklin, Ohio.

F. ROSS WILLIAMS, Ag't,

Gallipolis, Ohio.

March 5, 1880—3m

"BLACK-DRAUGHT" cures constipation and Sick-Headache.

For sale by KERR BROS.

Jan. 15, 1880—J m m

SHINGLES.

THE subscriber has for sale a large lot of

WHITE PINE MICHIGAN SHINGLES,

which will be sold low for cash. Call early.

J. W. DEVACHT.

Apr. 29, 1880—1m

"BLACK-DRAUGHT" cures dyspepsia, indigestion and heartburn.

For sale by KERR BROS.

India Ink Work.

You can get an 8x10 India Ink Portrait with a nice heavy frame for \$3 50 at Finner's Gallery, and other work as cheap in proportion

Stop using Calomel and try "BLACK-DRAUGHT" for liver diseases.

For sale by KERR BROS.

Take "BLACK-DRAUGHT" and you will never be delirious.

For sale by KERR BROS.

The EXCELSIOR FARM GATE will save you many a tiresome jump from your horse.

WOOL.

I HAVE established myself at the store of J. J. Cadot, Public Square, Gallipolis, Ohio, and will be prepared to buy

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CARDING AND SPINNING.

I will receive tub washed wool for Carding or Spinning and will keep constantly on hand Single and Double Yarns for Exchange.

All Custom Work done promptly at the Middletown Woolen Mills, and no extra charges for freights.

May 20, 1880—3m

Attachment.

EVAN W. D